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Honorable Commissioner for Patents Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

REPLY TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT

This is in response to the Notice of Non-Compliant mailed February 10, 2005.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 9 of this paper.